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To all our Hood members,

Since the rain started on Friday afternoon, our neighbourhood has experienced an absolute rollercoaster.

We've heard so many stories of houses and backyards flooding, and we've witnessed as Eden Park's outer oval was turned into a lake overnight. We were so touched by all the messages and offers of support over the weekend. Thank you to our wonderful community for your willingness to help.

Our outer oval was flooded again during last night's rain, but we know from experience that 24 hours can make a massive difference. By Sunday morning, there was little evidence anymore of the flooding we saw on Saturday.

In consultation with engineers and experts, our turf and facilities teams are currently working on draining the field, and our team is now 100% focussed on delivering the stadium's upcoming event calendar. Fortunately, we can now see some sunshine, which hopefully signals the end of the extreme weather.

To all of our community who have been impacted by the weather, our thoughts are with you.

We know firsthand how tough it can be to deal with the aftermath of flooding. Eden Park is currently exploring ways we can support members of our community who have been affected by the weather.

We also want to reassure you that water being drained from the Park is not having any impact on residential areas.

If you have any concerns or questions, please feel free to reach out by responding to this email.

Ngā mihi, The Eden Park team



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